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The assignee's portion of the application to assign the license of KIOX(AM), Bay City, Texas from Bay Broadcasting, Ltd. (assignor) to North Star Communications, Inc. (assignee) (FCC File No. BAL-880610EB) is hereby amended to correct the answer in Section II, Question 4 (a) in the assignee's legal qualifications portion of the application to reflect an answer of "yes" and state the following as an exhibit to that answer.

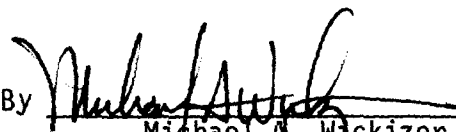
Clive Runnells, president and 40% owner of North Star Communications, Inc. was a general partner of Gulf Coast Cable Television Co., the assets of which have been sold and the partnership liquidated. It was adjudicated that Gulf Coast Cable Television Co. was in violation of antitrust laws for its conduct surrounding the seeking of a cable franchise for the City of Houston. See Affiliated Capital Corp. v. City of Houston, 735 F2d 1555 (5th Cir. 1984) ; cert. denied, Gulf Coast Cable Television Co. v. Affiliated Capital Corp., 469 U.S. 1205 (1985).

Respectfully submitted,

NORTH STAR COMMUNICATIONS, INC.

JULY 21, 1988
Date

BY


Michael A. Wickizer
Executive Vice President

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20554

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IN REPLY REFER TO:

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NORTH STAR COMMUNICATIONS, INC.
3900 ESSEX LANE, STE. 1150
HOUSTON, TX 77027

Call Letters: KIOX
Date Granted: AUGUST 8, 1988
File Number(s) BAL-880610EB

NOTICE TO ASSIGNEE

Enclosed is FCC Form 732 notifying you of Commission consent to the assignment of the construction permit and/or license of the station(s) therein described. Voluntary assignments are required to be completed within sixty (60) days of the date granted.

In addition to the filing of the below mentioned FCC Form 323, you are required to immediately notify this office (8910), by letter, as to the exact date of the consummation; that is, the date on which the acts necessary to effect the assignment were completed.

Within thirty (30) days after the consummation of the assignment it will be necessary for you to submit an Ownership Report (FCC Form 323) reporting all changes as required by Section 73.3615 of the Rules. Where applicable, a separate Ownership Report should also be completed and submitted for any holding company (25% or greater ownership interest) of the licensee/permittee. Contractual information required by Section 73.3613 should be reported for the assignee in Item 6, page one of the Ownership Report and copies of each instrument should be submitted with the report. If this is an involuntary assignment that was the result of a death or court action, an Ownership Report must be filed to determine that all requirements of the Rules have been met and reported.

In the event the assignee is the licensee/permittee of another station and has a current Ownership Report on file, you may complete and file only page one of FCC Form 323 to reflect the acquisition of the station(s) listed above. FCC Form 323 is enclosed for your convenience in filing.

It is of the utmost importance that all Commission correspondence comes to the immediate attention of the permittee or licensee. Only one mailing address can be maintained for each station. Unless we hear from you to the contrary, the above address will be used as your permanent mailing address.

If the assignor has any applications pending before the Commission, these applications must be amended to reflect the name of the assignee. Upon consummation of the assignment, amendments to each application must be filed by the assignee, in triplicate, signed by the proper party (see Section 73.3513 of the Rules). Further processing of these applications will be withheld pending receipt of the amendment.

Enclosures
cc: Ownership

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20554

File No.(s): BAL-880610EB

Class of station(s): AM

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CONSENT TO ASSIGNMENT: <input type="checkbox"/> CONSENT TO TRANSFER CONTROL: <input type="checkbox"/> CONSENT TO TRANSFER STOCK: Whereby of Control by is effected.	FROM BAY CITY BROADCASTING, LTD.
	TO NORTH STAR COMMUNICATIONS, INC.
Licensee/Permittee: (for transfer only)	

CALL SIGN(s)STATION LOCATION(s)AUXILIARY STATION(s) (for assignments only)

KIOX

BAY CITY, TEXAS

ALL CURRENTLY AUTHORIZED AUXILIARY
SERVICES.

Under authority of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, the consent of the Federal Communications Commission is hereby granted to the transaction indicated above.

The Commission's consent to the above is based on the representations made by the applicants that the statements contained in, or made in connection with, the application are true and that the undertakings of the parties upon which this transaction is authorized will be carried out in good faith.

The actual consummation of voluntary transactions shall be completed within 60 days from the date hereof, and notice in letter form thereof shall promptly be furnished the Commission by the buyer showing the date the acts necessary to effect the transaction were completed. Upon furnishing the Commission with such written notice, this transaction will be considered completed for all purposes related to the above described station(s).

FCC Form 323 (Ownership Report), must be filed within 30 days after consummation, by the licensee/permittee or assignee.

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS FOR ASSIGNMENTS ONLY:

Upon consummation the assignor must deliver the permit/license, including any modifications thereof to the assignee.

It is hereby directed that, upon consummation, a copy of this consent be posted with the station authorization(s) as required by the Commission's Rules and Regulations.

The assignee is not authorized to construct nor operate said station(s) unless and until notification of consummation in letter form has been forwarded to the Commission.

Dated: AUGUST 8, 1988

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August 25, 1988

Mr. H. Walker Feaster
Acting Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
Washington, D.C. 20554

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Federal Communications Commission
Office of the Secretary

Re: KIOX(AM), Bay City, Texas
Notice of Consummation of Assignment
of License (FCC File No. BAL-880610EB)

Dear Mr. Feaster:

The purpose of this letter is to notify the Commission on behalf of North Star Communications, Inc. that the assignment of license of KIOX(AM), Bay City, Texas (FCC File No. BAL-880610EB, granted by action of August 8, 1988) was consummated on August 22, 1988. Accordingly, the Commission's records should now reflect the licensee of KIOX(AM) Bay City, Texas as:

North Star Communications, Inc.
3900 Essex Lane
Suite 1150
Houston, Texas 77027
(713) 961-0969

An FCC Form 323 ownership report will be filed shortly. Should any questions arise concerning this matter, please contact this office directly.

Sincerely,


John F. Garziglia

Enclosure

ENGINEERING STATEMENT OF WILLIAM B. CARR REGARDING RADIO
STATION KIOX-AM COMPLIANCE WITH PARAGRAPHS 1.306.3 AND
1.307.B OF THE FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSIONS RULES AND
REGULATIONS

I, William B. Carr am an engineer with the firm of William B. Carr and Associates, Inc. with offices at 1805 Burleson-Retta Road Burleson, Texas. The firm has been retained by Radio Station KIOX-AM Bay City, Texas to prepare a report showing their compliance with paragraphs 1.306.3 and 1.307.b of the Federal Communications Commissions Rules and Regulations. This report considers only the radiation from the antenna system of the station.

Radio Station KIOX-AM operates on a frequency of 1270 kHz with a power of 1000 watts non-directional daytime and 1000 watts directional nighttime. The antenna system of Radio Station KIOX-AM is a single tower daytime and a three tower inline array nighttime. The non-directional tower (#1) is a guyed tower. The directional array consist of two guyed towers(#1 & #2) and a self supporting tower(#3). The power division in the nighttime array is as follows: tower #1 112 watts; tower #2 665 watts; tower #3 223 watts. All tower are fence at a distance of 25 feet from the center of the tower. The self supporting tower is 17 feet between legs at

the bottom allowing 8 feet clearance from the tower leg to the fence. The guyed towers are 24 inch face towers.

Using the information in OST Bulletin No. 65 "Evaluating Compliance with FCC-Specified Guidelines for Human Exposure to Radio Frequency Radiation" date October 1985 the station was checked for compliance. As shown in the attached data the station meets the guidelines as set forth in the ANSI C95.1 standard. The limits for radio frequency radiation in the AM band are electric field strength(E2) 400,000 V2/m2, magnetic field strength(H2) 2.5 A2/m2, and a power density equal 100 mW/cm2. The calculations for the radio frequency radiation were made assuming 1000 watts of power for each tower.

Respectfully submitted;

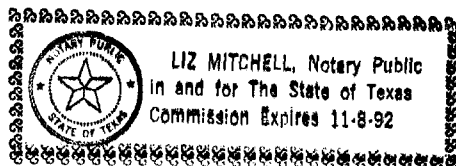


William B. Carr, P.E.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of March 1990.



Notary Public in and for Tarrant County, Texas



900320

Summary of Input Data:

Call: KIOX

Frequency: 1.270 MHz

Horizontal Input Power : .000 kW Vertical Input Power : 1.000 kW

Antenna Type: AM NON-D

Horizontal Element Type Number: 0.

Vertical Element Type Number: 1.

Height of observer above reference plane: 2.0 Meters

Element Data:

Vertical:

Number of elements: 1

Distance from analysis reference point: .0 meters

Azimuth from analysis reference point: N .0 E

Height of tower above reference plane: 116.0 Degrees

Element Number	Distance From Center (wavelengths)	Relative Power	Relative Phase
1.	.00	1.000	.0

Calculated Results:

* - indicates computed value exceeds ANSI guideline.

Distance (meters)	Horizontal Polarization		Vertical Polarization		Total Power Density (mW/cm2)
	E2 Field (V2/m2)	H2 Field (A2/m2)	E2 Field (V2/m2)	H2 Field (A2/m2)	
1.00	0.	.0000	2665.	.1580	2.0519
2.00	0.	.0000	2012.	.1126	1.5053
3.00	0.	.0000	1450.	.0749	1.0425
4.00	0.	.0000	981.	.0449	.6635
5.00	0.	.0000	602.	.0225	.3682
6.00	0.	.0000	484.	.0175	.2908
7.00	0.	.0000	378.	.0131	.2225
8.00	0.	.0000	286.	.0093	.1632
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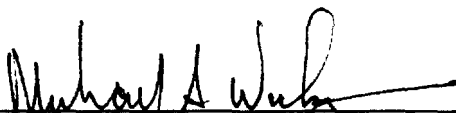
OWNERSHIP REPORT CERTIFICATION

North Star Communications, Inc., licensee of Stations KIOX, Bay City, Texas and KNET/KYYK(FM), Palestine, Texas, hereby certifies that it has reviewed the information contained in the Ownership Report (FCC Form 323) currently on file with the Federal Communications Commission and that all information contained in that Report remains accurate.

Respectfully submitted,

NORTH STAR COMMUNICATIONS, INC.

By

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Michael A. Wickizer", is written over a horizontal line.

Michael A. Wickizer
Executive Vice President

BROADCAST EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY PROGRAM REPORT

(To be filed with broadcast license renewal application)

Call Letters KIOX

(For FCC Use Only)

Code No.

Name of Licensee North Star Communications, Inc.
City and State which station
is licensed to serve Bay City, Texas

TYPE OF BROADCAST STATION (Check one)

Commercial Broadcast Station

- ☒ AM
☐ FM
☐ Combined AM & FM
in same area

- ☐ TV
☐ Low Power TV
☐ International

Noncommercial Broadcast Station

- ☐ Educational Radio
☐ Educational TV

SEND NOTICES AND COMMUNICATIONS TO THE FOLLOWING NAMED PERSON AT THE ADDRESS INDICATED BELOW:

Name	Michael A. Wickizer North Star Communications, Inc.	Street Address	3900 Essex Lane, Suite 1100
City	Houston	State	Texas
		ZIP Code	77027
		Telephone No.	(713) 627-2390

with cc: John F. Garziglia, Esq., Pepper & Corazzini, 1776 K St., NW, Washington, DC 20004
FILING INSTRUCTIONS

Broadcast station licensees are required to afford equal opportunity to all qualified persons and to refrain from discriminating employment and related benefits on the basis of race, color, national origin, and sex. See Section 73.2080 of the Commission's Rules. Pursuant to these requirements, a license renewal applicant who employs five or more full-time station employees must file a report of its activities to ensure equal employment opportunity for women and minority groups (that is, Blacks not of Hispanic origin, Asians or Pacific Islanders, American Indians or Alaskan Natives, and Hispanics). If minority group representation in the available labor force is less than five percent (in the aggregate), equal employment opportunity (EEO) program information for minority group members need not be filed. However, EEO program information must be filed for women since they comprise a significant percentage of virtually all area labor forces. If an applicant employs fewer than five full-time employees, no equal employment opportunity activity information need be filed.

A copy of this report must be kept in the station's public file. These actions are required to obtain license renewal. Failure to meet these requirements may result in license renewal being delayed or denied. These requirements are contained in Section 73.2080 of the FCC Rules (47 CFR 73.2080), and are authorized by the Communications Act of 1934, as amended.

☐ If your station employs fewer than five full-time employees, check the box at left, complete the certification below, return the form to the FCC, and place a copy in your station's public file. You do not have to complete the rest of the form.

If your station employs five or more full-time employees, you must complete all of this form and follow instructions.

☐ If minority group representation in the available labor force is less than 5 percent (in the aggregate) and you choose not to file EEO program information for minority groups, check the box at left and complete the rest of this form with only information for your program directed towards women.

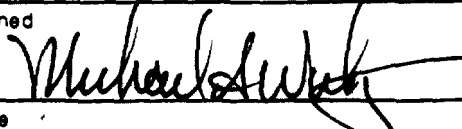
CERTIFICATION

This report must be certified, as follows:

- A. By licensee, if an individual;
- B. By a partner, if a partnership (general partner, if a limited partnership);
- C. By an officer, if a corporation or an association; or
- D. By an attorney of the licensee, in case of physical disability or absence from the United States of the licensee.

**WILLFUL FALSE STATEMENTS MADE ON THIS FORM ARE PUNISHABLE BY FINE AND IMPRISONMENT.
U.S. CODE, TITLE 18, SECTION 1001.**

I certify to the best of my knowledge, information and belief, all statements contained in this report are true and correct.

Signed	
Title	Executive Vice President
Date	3/27/90
Name of Respondent	Michael A. Wickizer
Telephone No. (include area code)	713 627 2390

FCC NOTICE TO INDIVIDUALS REQUIRED BY THE PRIVACY ACT AND THE PAPERWORK REDUCTION ACT

The solicitation of personal information requested in this application is authorized by the Communications Act of 1934, as amended. The principal purpose for which the information will be used is to determine if the license renewal requested is consistent with the public interest. The staff, consisting variously of attorneys, accountants, engineers, and applications examiners, will use the information to determine whether the license renewal application should be granted, denied, dismissed or designated for hearing. If all the information requested is not provided, the application may be returned without action having been taken upon it or its processing may be delayed while a request is made to provide the missing information. Accordingly, every effort should be made to provide all necessary information. Your response is required to obtain the requested authority.

THE FOREGOING NOTICE IS REQUIRED BY THE PRIVACY ACT OF 1974, P.L. 93-579, DECEMBER 31, 1974, 5 U.S.C. 552a(e)(3) AND THE PAPERWORK REDUCTION ACT OF 1980, P.L. 96-511, DECEMBER 11, 1980, 44 U.S.C. 3507.

The purpose of this document is to remind broadcast station licensees of their equal employment opportunity responsibilities and to provide the licensee, the FCC and the public with information about whether the station is meeting these requirements.

GENERAL POLICY

A broadcast station must provide equal employment opportunity to all qualified individuals without regard to their race, color, religion, national origin or sex in all personnel actions including recruitment, evaluation, selection, promotion, compensation, training and termination.

A broadcast station must also encourage applications from qualified minorities and women for hiring and promotion to all types of jobs at the station.

I. RESPONSIBILITY FOR IMPLEMENTATION

A broadcast station must assign a particular official overall responsibility for equal employment opportunity at the station. That official's name and title are:

NAME Olga Mireles TITLE Office Manager

It is also the responsibility of all persons at a broadcast station making employment decisions with respect to recruitment, evaluation, selection, promotion, compensation, training and termination of employees to ensure that no person is discriminated against in employment because of race, color, religion, national origin or sex.

II. POLICY DISSEMINATION

A broadcast station must make effective efforts to make management, staff, and prospective employees aware that it offers equal employment opportunity. The Commission considers the efforts listed below to be generally effective. Indicate each practice that your station follows. You also may list any other efforts that you have undertaken.

☒ Notices are posted informing applicants and employees that the station is an Equal Opportunity Employer and that they have the right to notify an appropriate local, State, or Federal agency if they believe they have been the victims of discrimination.

☒ Our station's employment application form contains a notice informing prospective employees that discrimination because of race, color, religion, national origin or sex is prohibited and that they may notify the appropriate local, State, or Federal agency if they believe they have been the victims of discrimination.

☒ We seek the cooperation of the unions represented at the station to help implement our EEO program and all union contracts contain a nondiscrimination clause.

☐ Other (specify)

III. RECRUITMENT

A broadcast station must make efforts to attract qualified minority and women applicants for all types of jobs at the station whenever vacancies occur.

Indicate each practice that your station follows and, where appropriate, list sources and numbers of referrals.

☒ When we place employment advertisements with media some of such advertisements are placed with media which have significant circulation or viewership, or are of particular interest to minorities and women in the recruitment area. Examples of media utilized during the past 12 months and the number of minority and/or women referrals are:

	Number of Referrals	
	Minority	Women
<u>Bay City Tribune</u>	<u>3</u>	<u> </u>
<u>The County Line</u>	<u>2</u>	<u> </u>



Recruit prospective employees from educational institutions, including area schools and colleges with minority and women enrollments. Educational institutions contacted for recruitment purposes during the past 12 months and the number of minority and/or women referrals are:

Educational Institution	Number of Referrals Minority
<u>Columbia School of Broadcasting</u>	<u>1</u>
<u>Wharton County Junior College</u>	<u>1</u>



Contact a variety of minority and women's organizations to encourage the referral of qualified minority and women applicants whenever job vacancies occur. Examples of such organizations contacted during the past 12 months are:

Organization	Number of Referrals Minority
<u>NAACP</u>	<u>3</u>
<u>LULAC</u>	<u>4</u>
<u> </u>	<u> </u>
<u> </u>	<u> </u>



We encourage present employees to refer qualified minority and women candidates for job openings. The number of minority and/or women referrals are:

Minority 0



Other (specify) and the number of minority and/or women referrals are:

Minority

IV. JOB HIRES

A broadcast station must consider applicants for job openings on a nondiscriminatory basis. Further, to assure qualified minorities and women are given due consideration for available positions, it must make efforts to encourage them to apply for job openings.

During the twelve-month period prior to filing this application beginning (Month-Day-Year) 1-1-89 and ending (Month-Day-Year), 12-31-89 we hired:

Total hires 15 Minorities 9 Women 3

During this period, for positions in the upper four job categories, we hired:

Total hires, upper 14 Minorities 9 Women 2
four categories

V. PROMOTIONS

A broadcast station must promote individuals on a nondiscriminatory basis. Further, to assure that qualified minorities and women are given due consideration for promotional opportunities, it must make efforts to encourage them to do so and apply for advancement.

During the twelve-month period prior to filing this application beginning (Month-Day-Year) 1-1-89 and ending (Month-Day-Year), 12-31-89 we promoted:

Total promotions 2 Minorities 2 Women 1

During this period, in the upper four job categories, we promoted:

Total promotions, upper 2 Minorities 2 Women 1
four categories

VI. AVAILABLE LABOR FORCE

A broadcast station must evaluate its employment profile and job turnover against the availability of minorities and women in the relevant labor market. The FCC will use labor force data for the MSA in which your station is located. County data if the station is not located in an MSA, to evaluate your station's equal employment efforts. If you use these data in your evaluation, you need not submit them to the FCC.

This section is optional:

As an alternative to MSA or county labor force data, you may use other data that more accurately reflect the percentages of women and minorities in the labor force available to your station. If such alternative data are used, the data must be submitted on the table below and an explanation attached as to why they are more appropriate.

Percentage in the Labor Force	Women	Blacks not of Hispanic Origin	Asian or Pacific Islanders	American Indians or Alaskan Natives	Hispanics

The above information is for:

☐

M.S.A.

☐

City

☐

County

☐

Other (specify)

VII. COMPLAINTS

You must provide here a brief description of any complaint which has been filed before any body having competent jurisdiction under Federal, State, territorial or local law, alleging unlawful discrimination in the employment practices of the station including the persons involved, the date of filing, the court or agency, the file number (if any), and the disposition or current status of the matter. Examples of such jurisdiction may include the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, state and local equal opportunity commissions, or other appropriate agencies.

VIII. OTHER INFORMATION

You may also describe other information that you believe would allow the FCC to evaluate more completely your efforts in providing equal opportunity in employment at your station. Submission of such information is optional. Among the additional information you may choose to provide are:

Any training programs the station has undertaken that are designed to enable minorities and women to compete in the broadcast employment market including, but not necessarily limited to, on-the-job training and assistance to students, schools or colleges.

Any problems the station has experienced in assuring equal employment opportunity, or attracting qualified minority and women candidates for employment or promotion.

Any efforts the station has undertaken or will undertake to promote equal opportunity in its employment and to encourage applications from minorities and women.

For <u>Commission</u> Fee Use Only		FEE NO: 08019060		For <u>Applicant</u> Fee Use Only	
		FEE TYPE: MRV		Is a fee submitted with this application? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
		FEE AMT: 30.00		If No, indicate reason therefor (check one box): <input type="checkbox"/> Nonfeeable application	
		ID SEQ: 09		Fee Exempt (See 47 C.F.R. Section 1.1112) <input type="checkbox"/> Noncommercial educational licensee <input type="checkbox"/> Governmental entity	
For <u>Commission</u> Use Only:		File No. 900402 V.D			

1. Name of Applicant North Star Communications, Inc.			4. Have the following reports been filed with the Commission:		
Mailing Address 3900 Essex Lane, Suite 1100			(a) The Broadcast Station Annual Employment Reports (FCC Form 395-B) as required by 47 C.F.R. Section 73.3612? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
City Houston	State TX	ZIP Code 77027	If No, attach as Exhibit No. _____ an explanation.		
2. This application is for: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> FM <input type="checkbox"/> TV			(b) The applicant's Ownership Report (FCC Form 323 or 323-E) as required by 47 C.F.R. Section 73.3615? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
(a) Call Letters: KIOX	(b) Principal Community: City Bay City State Texas		If No, give the following information: Date last ownership report was filed _____ Call letters of station for which it was filed _____		
3. Attach as Exhibit No. _____ an identification of any FM booster or TV booster station for which renewal of license is also requested.					

5. Is the applicant in compliance with the provisions of Section 310 of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, relating to interests of aliens and foreign governments? ☒ Yes ☐ No

If No, attach as Exhibit No. _____ an explanation.

6. Since the filing of the applicant's last renewal application for this station or other major application, has an adverse finding been made or final action been taken by any court or administrative body with respect to the applicant or parties to the application in a civil or criminal proceeding, brought under the provisions of any law relating to the following: any felony; broadcast related antitrust or unfair competition; criminal fraud or fraud before another governmental unit; or discrimination? ☐ Yes ☒ No

If Yes, attach as Exhibit No. _____ a full description of the persons and matters involved, including an identification of the court or administrative body and the proceeding (by dates and file numbers) and the disposition of the litigation.

7. Would a Commission grant of this application come within 47 C.F.R. Section 1.1307, such that it may have a significant environmental impact? ☐ Yes ☒ No

If Yes, attach as Exhibit No. _____ an Environmental Assessment required by 47 C.F.R. Section 1.1311.

If No, explain briefly why not. See Attached

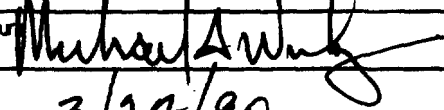
8. Has the applicant placed in its station's public inspection file at the appropriate times the documentation required by 47 C.F.R. Sections 73.3526 or 73.3527? ☒ Yes ☐ No

If No, attach as Exhibit No. _____ a complete statement of explanation.

The APPLICANT hereby waives any claim to the use of any particular frequency or of the electromagnetic spectrum as against the regulatory power of the United States because of the previous use of the same, whether by license or otherwise, and requests an authorization in accordance with this application. (See Section 304 of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended.)

The APPLICANT acknowledges that all the statements made in this application and attached exhibits are considered material representations and that all the exhibits are a material part hereof and are incorporated herein as set out in full in the application.

CERTIFICATION: I certify that the statements in this application are true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief, and are made in good faith.

Name Michael A. Wickizer	Signature 
Title Executive Vice President	Date 3/27/90

WILLFUL FALSE STATEMENTS MADE ON THIS FORM ARE PUNISHABLE BY FINE AND IMPRISONMENT. U.S. CODE, TITLE 18, SECTION 1001.

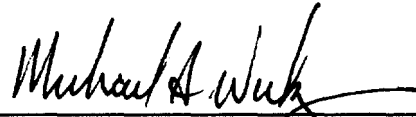
CERTIFICATION - RF RADIATION

A study of the RF radiation generated by Station KIOX conducted in accordance with the FCC's OST Bulletin No. 65, indicates that operation of the station will not significantly affect the quality of the human environment when applying the specifications governing RF radiation which are set forth in that Bulletin.

Dated this 27th day of March, 1990.

NORTH STAR COMMUNICATIONS, INC.

By



Michael A. Wickizer
Executive Vice President

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April 2, 1990

Ms. Donna R. Searcy
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: Renewal of License
KIOX(AM)
Bay City, Texas

Dear Ms. Searcy:

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Transmitted herewith, in duplicate, on behalf of North Star Communications, Inc., licensee of Station KIOX(AM) Bay City, Texas, are the following:

1. FCC Form 303-S, Application for Renewal of License, respecting KNET(AM), together with applicable exhibits;
2. Ownership Certification respecting KIOX(AM);
3. FCC Form 396, Equal Employment Opportunity Program Report.

Also transmitted herewith is a check in the amount of thirty dollars (Check No. 03558) in payment of the Commission's filing fee.

Should any questions arise in connection with this matter, kindly communicate directly with the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,



Howard J. Barr

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cc: North Star Communications, Inc.

L I C E N S E R E N E W A L A U T H O R I Z A T I O N

RUN DATE: 31-90-07

THIS IS TO NOTIFY YOU THAT YOUR
APPLICATION FOR RENEWAL OF
LICENSE WAS GRANTED ON 07-27-90
FOR A TERM EXPIRING ON 08-01-97
FREQUENCY: 1270KHZ

THIS IS YOUR LICENSE RENEWAL
AUTHORIZATION FOR STATION
KIOX
BAY CITY TX

NORTH STAR COMMUNICATIONS, INC.
KIOX AM STATION
3900 ESSEX LANE, #1100
HOUSTON, TX 77027

THIS ALSO IS THE RENEWAL
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AUTHORIZED AUXILIARY SERVICES.

THIS CARD MUST BE POSTED WITH THE
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ANY SUBSEQUENT MODIFICATIONS.

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November 5, 1991

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AM BRANCH

Ms. Donna R. Searcy
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
Washington, D.C. 20554

Attn: FCC Lockbox Shift Supervisor

Re: Fee Filing (Code MGR) - \$100.00 Check Enclosed
KIOX-AM, Bay City, Texas
Request for Special Temporary Authority


Dear Ms. Searcy:

On behalf of North Star Communications, Inc., licensee of KIOX-AM, Bay City, Texas, special temporary authority pursuant to Section 73.1635(a)(3)&(4) to operate at night at variance from license parameters is hereby requested. During routine maintenance it was discovered that the parameters are at variance and unstable. The licensee attempted to adjust the directional phasers to correct the problem, however, this was unsuccessful. The licensee has determined that it must perform a detailed investigation in order to determine the cause of the problem and correct the same. The licensee will stay within maximum fields of intensity at the monitor points during the course of the STA.

The licensee seeks an STA for the full 180 days. It is anticipated that inclement weather, particularly heavy rains lasting for a week or more at a time during this time of the year, will inhibit the licensee's efforts to correct this problem.

Should any questions arise in connection with this matter, kindly communicate directly with the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,



Howard J. Barr
Counsel to North Star
Communications, Inc.

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FEE PROCESSING FORM

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North Star Communications, Inc.

MAILING ADDRESS (Line 1) (Maximum 35 characters - refer to Instruction (2) on reverse of form)

c/o Howard J. Barr - Pepper & Corazzini

MAILING ADDRESS (Line 2) (If required) (Maximum 35 characters)

1776 K Street, N.W., Suite 200

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Washington, D.C.

STATE OR COUNTRY (If foreign address)

ZIP CODE

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CALL SIGN OR OTHER FCC IDENTIFIER (If applicable)

KIOX-AM, Bay City, TX

FCC Request for STA

Enter in Column (A) the correct Fee Type Code for the service you are applying for. Fee Type Codes may be found in FCC Fee Filing Guides. Enter in Column (B) the Fee Multiple, if applicable. Enter in Column (C) the result obtained from multiplying the value of the Fee Type Code in Column (A) by the number entered in Column (B), if any.

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INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING FEE PROCESSING FORM, FCC FORM 155, March 1991

- (1) **"Applicant Name"** - Enter the name (last, first, middle initial) of the applicant as it appears on the original application or filing being submitted with this Fee Processing Form. If company, enter name which is used commercially.
- (2) **"Mailing Address (Line 1)"** - Enter the street address or post office box number to which the applicant wishes correspondence sent.
- (3) **"Mailing Address (Line 2)"** - This line may be used for further identification of the address if additional space is required.
- (4) **"City"** - Enter the name of the city associated with the given street address.
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- (6) **"ZIP Code"** - Enter the appropriate five or nine-digit ZIP code prescribed by the U.S. Postal Service.
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- (8) **Column (A), "Fee Type Code"** - Enter correct Fee Type Code(s) from the appropriate Fee Filing Guide. Only one Fee Processing Form may be submitted per application or filing. Inaccurate or erroneous Fee Type Codes may result in your application or filing being returned to you without further processing.
- (9) **Column (B), "Fee Multiple"** - Certain applications and filings may request action with respect to more than one station, license, frequency, or party and can be submitted together with one check if they meet specific conditions. This column is used only if a multiple, i.e., two or more, is being applied for. Examples of when this would be used are renewing more than one call sign, frequency, station, or the transfer of control of more than one station. Refer to the appropriate Fee Filing Guide for additional information.
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HOW TO SUBMIT APPLICATIONS AND FILINGS

- o Each application or filing should be assembled with the Fee Processing Form, FCC Form 155, stapled to the top of the application with the check placed on top of the Fee Processing Form. **DO NOT STAPLE THE CHECK TO THE APPLICATION OR FEE PROCESSING FORM, FCC FORM 155.** Required copies of applications should be clearly identified as "duplicate copy" and placed behind the original package. **"Stamp and receipt" copies should be placed on top of the original package and CLEARLY identified as return copies.** Extraneous material and extra copies should be avoided at all times. Failure to follow these instructions will delay the processing of your submission.
- o Completed applications or filings should be mailed to the proper address shown in the Fee Filing Guide for the particular service for which you are applying or making a filing. **All applications and filings must be properly addressed to the appropriate P.O. box number,** even if hand delivered to the address listed below. Applications received before midnight on a normal business day will receive that day's date as the receipt date. Deliveries made after midnight on Fridays will not be "officially" receipted until the next Monday. Applications received on weekends and government holidays are dated the next regular business day.
- o A single check, bank draft or money order made payable to the Federal Communications Commission and denominated in U.S. dollars and drawn upon a U.S. financial institution must be included with each application or filing requiring a fee. No postdated, altered or third-party checks will be accepted. Do not send cash.
- o Parties hand delivering applications or filings may receive dated receipt copies by presenting copies of the applications or filings to the acceptance clerk at the time of delivery. **Receipts will be provided for mail-in applications or filings if an extra copy of the application or filing is provided along with a self-addressed stamped envelope. Only one piece of paper per application or filing will be stamped for receipt purposes.**

REMEMBER

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Part 1, Subpart G of the Commission's rules authorize the FCC to request the information on this form. The information requested is required in order to obtain a license or authorization from the Commission. The purpose of the information is to provide a means to link a fee payment to a specific invoice, application or filing. The information will be used by the Commission to maintain data concerning fees paid to the Commission, for internal financial control, audit, and reporting purposes. Information requested on this form will be available to the public. Your response is required to obtain a license or other authorization from the Commission.

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27th Floor, Rm. 153-2713
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IN REPLY REFER TO:

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November 18, 1991

North Star Communications, Inc.
Radio Station KIOX (AM)
3900 Essex Lane #1100
Houston, Texas 77027

Ref. 8910-MB. Relet Atty. 11/5/91. Temporary authority granted to operate with parameters at variance while maintaining monitor points within authorized limits while investigating recent array stability problems. No further extensions of this authority without detailed status report. This authority expires 3/1/92.

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Ms. Donna R. Searcy
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RE: KIOX-AM, Bay City, Texas
Request Extension of STA - Ref. 8910 - MB
Fee Filing (Code MGR) - \$100.00 Check Enclosed

Dear Ms. Searcy:

This letter is written on behalf of North Star Communications, Inc., licensee of KIOX-AM, Bay City, Texas. KIOX is currently under special temporary authority ("STA") to operate with parameters at variance while maintaining monitor points within authorized limits. Discovery of array instability problems prompted the request for STA. That STA is set to expire on March 1, 1991. North Star hereby requests an extension of that STA for an additional 90 days.

As North Star anticipated, and indicated in its original request, the weather has presented severe limitations on its ability to determine and correct the problem. The Bay City area received almost 8 inches of rain in December, over 6 inches in January, and over 5 inches so far in February. Continued rainy weather is anticipated for March and April. Additionally, North Star purchased equipment to take measurements, which turned out to be defective and had to be returned to the factory for repair. This equipment was only recently returned.

Despite the weather, North Star has worked diligently to determine and correct the problem. All patent physical problems that have been detected have been repaired. Additional time is required to complete measurements to determine if any latent problems exist and to repair the same. KIOX continues to maintain monitor points within authorized limits and will continue to do so. Therefore, North Star respectfully requests an extension of its STA up to and including May 30, 1992.

This filing is accompanied by FCC Form 155 and a \$100.00 check in payment of the Commission's filing fee. Should any

Ms. Donna R. Searcy
February 21, 1992
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questions arise in connection with this matter, kindly communicate with the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,



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Enclosures

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